

The Federation of State Medical Boards has initiated a free, online CME Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategy (REMS) activity for extended-release (ER) and long-acting (LA) opioid medications for the licensees of state medical boards. The "Extended-Release and Long-Acting Opioids: Assessing Risks, Safe Prescribing" activity seeks to reduce serious adverse outcomes resulting from inappropriate prescribing, misuse and abuse of ER/LA opioid analgesics while maintaining patient access to pain medications.

This activity has been approved by the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure for three (3) hours of CME to count toward the 4.5 hours needed to meet the requirements of HB 1.

To take the free CME, please visit www.fsmb.org/safeprescribing.

If you need any further information, you may contact Kelly Alfred at the Federation of State Medical Boards at kalfred@fsmb.org.